

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BEXP, SA  
SUBJ: SOUTH CAROLINA IOGA MISSION

1. AMBASSADOR RECEIVED FOLLOWING COMMERCIAL TELEX ON JANUARY 11  
FROM C.C. WHITAKER, SOUTH CAROLINA DEVELOPMENT  
BOARD, QUOTE: DUE TO SCHEDULING PROBLEMS WITH MISSION  
MEMBERS, WE ARE POSTPONING TRADE MISSION AS FOLLOWS: ADVANCE  
LATE FEB -EARLY MARCH. MISSION LATE APRIL-EARLY MAY. HOPE  
THIS IS CONVENIENT WITH YOU AND THAT WE MIGHT HAVE MISSION  
BRIEFING DURING YOUR VISIT TO S.C. FOR HERITAGE. END QUOTE.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE USDOC LIAISON ASAP WITH S.C.  
ORGANIZERS TO EXPLAIN PROBLEM WE HAVE WITH CHANGE IN DATES.  
AS USDOC AWARE, WE HAVE (A) USDA FOODSTUFFS MISSION  
APRIL 7-11, (B) USDOC BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION TRADE  
MISSION APRIL 15-20 AND (C) MISSISSIPPI STATE IOGA  
LED BY GOVERNOR DURING PERIOD OF LATE APRIL THROUGH  
EARLY MAY.

3. GIVEN ABOVE SCHEDULE, IT IS DIFFICULT TO SEE HOW  
JIDDA CAN ACCOMMODATE CHANGE IN SOUTH CAROLINA DATES  
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WHICH WILL CAUSE SOUTH CAROLINA TO OVERLAP EXACTLY  
WITH MISSISSIPPI DATES.

4. OUR OPEN PERIODS NOW DURING FIRST HALF 1978 ARE:  
FEBRUARY, MARCH OR LATE MAY. IF SOUTH CAROLINA  
ELECTS LATE MAY, EMBASSY EXPECTS USDOC TO SCHEDULE  
TWO WEEKS BETWEEN S.C. AND MISSISSIPPI IOGAS, AND

BETWEEN S.C. AND PROPOSED JUNE WATER RESOURCES TRADE  
MISSION.  
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